

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

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1. A system for accessing and retrieving information on the internet comprising:
a data table comprising:
a plurality of columns, each of said columns being selectively definable by a
column heading; and
5 at least one row having a plurality of cells corresponding to said plurality of
columns, said row for storing information defined by said plurality of column headings;
a key phrase field for defining a desired search; and
a search unit for accessing information on the World Wide Web that matches the
information in said key phrase field, and for storing said accessed information in said
10 columns if the accessed information further corresponds to said column headings.
 2. The system of claim 1, whereby each of said plurality of cells being activatable
to perform at least one action related to said stored information within said cell.
 3. The system of claim 2, whereby said stored information includes a phone
number, and said at least one action comprises connecting the system with said phone
number.

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4. The system of claim 2 whereby said stored information includes a facsimile number, and said at least one action comprises sending a facsimile to said facsimile number.

5. The system of claim 2, whereby said stored information includes an e-mail address, and said at least one action comprises sending an e-mail to said e-mail address.

6. The system of claim 5, whereby said at least one action further comprises sending a facsimile to said e-mail address or providing a voice connection to said e-mail address.

7. The system of claim 1, further including a cursor and an activity menu having a plurality of activity buttons; whereby each of said activity buttons defines an action related to said stored information within a cell.

8. The system of claim 4, whereby said cursor highlights a cell and said plurality of action buttons change to reflect said stored information.

9. The system of claim 1, whereby each row includes a row heading.

10. The system of claim 9, whereby said row headings and said column headings are interchangeable.

11. The system of claim 1, further including a centralized database for storing information, whereby said system accesses and retrieves information within said database.

12. The system of claim 11, further including a website, for maintaining said centralized database.

13. The system of claim 12, further including a plurality of databases, said plurality of databases being linked to said centralized database, whereby said system accesses and retrieves information within said plurality of databases.

14. The system of claim 13, further including an input unit, for inputting information into said centralized database.

15. The system of claim 14, further including a verification unit, for verifying said input information.

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16. The system of claim 15, whereby said verification unit further includes tagging means, for tagging all input information with the date of entry, time of entry and origin of said input information.

17. A method for accessing and retrieving information on the internet comprising:
creating a data table comprising a plurality of columns, each of said columns being selectively definable by a column heading, and at least one row having a plurality of cells corresponding to said plurality of columns, said row for storing information defined by said plurality of column headings;

defining a desired search with a key phrase field;

accessing information on the World Wide Web that matches the information in said key phrase field; and

storing said accessed information in said columns if the accessed information further corresponds to said column headings.

18. The method of claim 17, whereby said method further includes performing an action related to said stored information within said cell.

19. A method of using a computer network and a database accessible through the computer network, comprising the steps of defining the database with a plurality of columns,

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each of said columns being defined by a column heading, and at least one row having a plurality of cells corresponding to said plurality of columns, said row for storing information

5 defined by said plurality of column headings;

defining a desired search with a keyphrase field;

accessing information within said database that matches the information in said keyphrase field; and

storing said information in said columns if the accessed information further corresponds to said column headings.

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